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REPORTED SPEECH 01 (Dev 2)

I. Put the following sentences into reported (indirect) speech.

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1. He said, 'Get out of my way.'

He told me _____ .

2. 'Climb in through the window,' he ordered.

He ordered me _____ .

3. 'Please pay at the desk,' said the assistant.

The assistant told me _____ .

4. 'Open your bag, please,' said the store detective to the girl.

The store detective told the girl _____ .

5. 'Don't worry about anything, Mrs. Pitt,' said her solicitor.

Mrs. Pitt's solicitor told her _____ .

6. 'Don't use bent coins in a slot machine,' I warned him.

I warned him _____ .

7. 'Follow that car,' the detective said to the taxi-driver.

The detective told the taxi-driver _____ .

8. 'Wash it in lukewarm water,' recommended the assistant.

The assistant advised me _____ .

9. 'Have confidence in me,' said the doctor.

The doctor told me _____ .

10. 'You should go play outside,' he said to the children.

He advised the children _____ .

11. 'Read the notice about life-saving equipment,' advised the flight attendant.

The flight attendant told us _____ .

12. 'Always cook with butter,' said her mother, 'never use margarine.'

Her mother told her _____ .

13. 'Don't argue with your father,' my mother said.

My mother told me _____ .

14. 'Remember to prune the roses,' said my aunt.

My aunt reminded me _____ .

15. 'Wait for me at the bridge,' said the young man.

The young man asked me _____ .

II. Put the following sentences into reported (indirect) speech.

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1. 'You have to work for what you want,' my father always says.

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2. 'We can't waste food,' my mother says.

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3. 'I have something to show you,' I said to her.

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4. 'Nothing grows in my garden. It never gets any sun,' she said.

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5. 'I'm going away tomorrow, mother,' he said.

_____ .

6. 'I've been in London for a month but so far I haven't had time to visit the Tower,' said Rupert.

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7. 'It isn't so foggy today as it was yesterday,' Josie remarked.

_____ .

8. 'The new underpass is being officially opened the day after tomorrow,' said the BBC announcer.

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9. 'We have moved into our new flat. We don't like it nearly as much as our last one,' said my aunt.

_____ .

10. 'We have a lift but very often it doesn't work,' they said.

_____ .

11. 'From one of the windows of my flat I can see the Eiffel Tower,' Pierre told me.

_____ .

12. He said, 'My wife has just become a judge.'

_____ .

13. 'I'll come with you as soon as I am ready,' she replied.

_____ .

14. 'I have a German lesson this afternoon and I haven't done my homework yet,' said the little boy.

_____ .

15. 'If you let the iron get too hot, you will burn your clothes,' his mother warned him.

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